

**TENTATIVE AGENDA
for the
WATER AND NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE**

**October 3-5, 2004
Silver City-Gila River
Deming/Las Cruces**

Sunday, October 3

**Silver City Environs (Meet at Grant County Administration
Parking Lot, 1400 Highway 180 East)**

12:30 p.m. TOUR OF GILA

5:00 p.m. RECESS

Monday, October 4

Learning Center, Pine Street and Country Club Road, Deming

9:00 a.m. CALL TO ORDER
—Representative Joe M Stell, Chair

WATER RIGHTS ADJUDICATION — JUDICIAL IMPROVEMENTS
—Judge Gerald Valentine

10:00 a.m. WATER CONSERVATION PLANS AND WATER BANKING
—John D'Antonio, State Engineer

11:00 a.m. SOUTHWEST REGIONAL WATER PLAN
—John Burkstaller, PE, Daniel B. Stevens, Inc.

12:00 noon LUNCH

1:00 p.m. SOUTHWEST WATER PLANNING GROUP
—Vance Lee

2:00 p.m. WATER RESOURCE APPLICATION PROJECT FOR SOUTH
CENTRAL NEW MEXICO
—Tom Springer, Vice Chair, South Central Mountain Resource
Conservation and Development Council

3:00 p.m. TOUR — WATER AND LAND CONSERVATION TECHNIQUES
—Rick Holdridge, Deming Soil and Water Conservation District

5:00 p.m. RECESS

Tuesday, October 5

Otero Room, Corbett Center, NMSU, Las Cruces

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| 9:00 a.m. | THE GILA — ECONOMICS AND ECOLOGY OF A FREE-FLOWING
STREAM
—Dutch Salmon, Chair, Gila Conservation Coalition |
| 10:00 a.m. | ON-SITE LIQUID WASTE ISSUES
—Link Summers |
| 11:00 a.m. | WATER RESOURCE PROTECTION ACT
—Beth Bardwell, World Wildlife Fund |
| 12:00 noon | WORKING LUNCH |
| | DRIP IRRIGATION TECHNOLOGY — STATE OF THE ART
—Dino Cervantes, Farmer |
| 1:00 p.m. | ADJOURN |